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Lawrence Slaughter married secondly Miss Susannah Winston of Spottsylvania County, Va. By his first wife he had issue:

I. COL. JOHN FIELD SLAUGHTER who married Miss Jane Alexander. He was a wealthy merchant of Augusta, Ga. Issue:

a. William A. of Mississippi.

b. Lawrence Smith born 1798 d. s. p. 1822.

c. Jane died in Fredericksburg, Va.

d. Maria died in infancy.

e. Frances Smith.

II. ANN (Nancy). Married Baylor Banks.

III. MILDRED. Married James Marye (1786) she died in 1801. Issue:

a. James Alfred Ferdinand.

b. Susan.

c. Robert Vaux.

d. Catharine Matilda married Mr. Beattee of Tenn.

e. John L. married Ann Maria Burton.

f. Mildred Slaughter married 1st. Richard Taylor Blackwell; 2nd. R. G. Cutliff.

g. Elizabeth Letitia Frances Ann married Mr. Cutliff.

h. Dr. James.

IV. GEORGE. Married Miss Cochran, died in Ky.

V. ROBERT. He was a prominent lawyer in Chillicothe, Ohio and Lieut. Governor of that State. He was offered the governorship of Louisiana by the Spaniards.

VI. MARY. Married John McCone.

By his second wife Miss Susannah Winston, Lawrence Slaughter had:

VII. LAWRENCE. He died in Spottsylvania County, Va., 1823 unmarried. By his will dated Feb. 14, 1813, he divised all his property real and personal, in possession and remainder to his mother Susannah Slaughter during her lifetime, then to sister Francis. In the event of latters' death before the death of her mother then to the children of testators sister Mildred Marye, deceased.

VIII. FRANC'S. Died unmarried.

(To be concluded.)

THE DESCENDANTS OF TWO JOHN WASHINGTONS.

Tue descendants of Lawrence Washington, grandfather of the President, and son of Col. John Washington, the emigrant, are fairly well known. Though the English pedigree given by Welles is quite fabulous, his account of the descendants of the above named Lawrence Washington appears to be quite correct. It could, of course, be carried out much

more in later generations. There are numerous briefer genealogies of this branch of the family. General Washington's investigations for the Englishman, Sir Isaac Heard, formed a solid foundation for later work.

It is not generally known, however, that a very large part of the Washington family descends from John, son of Col. John, the emigrant, and John, son of Lawrence Washington, his brother, the other emigrant.

There is no account in print of the descendants of John[2] (John[1]) Washington, and the only one of the descendants of John[2] (Lawrence[1]) Washington is incorrect from lack of full information. The following account is derived from a careful study ofthe wills of John and Lawrence Washington, the emigrants of their sister, Mrs. Martha Hayward, and of John[2] (John[1]) Washington; and from a letter from the last named John Washington, all in print; from the records of Westmoreland, King George and Stafford Counties(though a large part of those of Stafford have been destroyed); from the register of St. Paul's Parish, Stafford (now King George), a letter written to the compiler by the late L. Q. Washington, of Washington, D. C., who possessed an extensive manuscript history of this part of the family prepared by his father Lund Washington, and an account prepared in 1843, by John M. Conway, clerk of Stafford County who not only had a thorough acquaintance with the records of his county, but was assisted by Charles Henry Ashton, then seventy years of age, who also gave what he had received from his father, John Ashton and others. The Washingtons and Ashtons had been neighbors for generations, and John Ashton, who has been mentioned was son of Mary Townshend Washington, daughter of John[2] (Lawrence[1]) Washington. In every instance where they can be checked by public records the Conway's and Mr. Ashton's statements have been found to be correct.

1. COL. JOHN[1] WASHINGTON, the emigrant, died in 1677. In his will he makes bequests to his son John, the plantation "where I now live", also land at the head of Rappahannock Creek, and two other tracts of land. Mrs. Martha Hayward, of Stafford County, a sister of the emigrants, in her will, dated May 6, 1697 and proved Dec. 8, 1697, made bequests to her "Cozen" (nephew) "Lawrence Washington son of Mr. John Washington of Westmoreland County", and to John, Nathaniel and Henry sons of the said Mr. John Washington, of Westmoreland. She also bequeathed property to her "kinsman Mr. John Washington of Stafford County", and made him one of her residuary legatees. The wives of each of these John Washingtons also received bequests.

Lawrence Washington (grandfather of the President) and eldest son of Col. John the emigrant, in his will dated March 11, 1697-8, makes bequests to his "Cozen John Washington Sr. of Stafford County," and to Lawrence, eldest son of said John, who was testator's godson, and if his own children died without issue his estate was to be divided between his wife and his brother's children. He appointed his "Cozen John Washington of Stafford" as executor (His brother John was then dead).

The second son of Col. John[1] Washington was:

2. CAPTAIN JOHN[2] WASHINGTON (John[1]), of Westmoreland County. There is in Westmoreland a deed dated June 12, 1697, from Captain John Washington and Ann his wife.

The will of John Washington of Washington parish, Westmoreland, was dated Jan. 22, 1697 and proved in Westmoreland July 23, 1697. He directs that he be buried on the plantation where he lived, by his father, mother and brothers. He gives his wife Ann the plantation he lived on; to eldest son Lawrence Washington land in Stafford on upper Machodick (It should be remembered that Stafford then included all the Potomac side of the present King George); to son John the land he lived on after his wife's death; to son Henry, land in Stafford; to son Nathaniel, land on Appomattox (Mattox) Creek; brother Lawrence and wife Ann, executors.

Issue: 3. Lawrence[3]; 4. Nathaniel[3]; 5. John[3]; 6. Henry[3].

3. LAWRENCE[3] WASHINGTON (John[2], John[1]) evidently died prior to 1708, as on March 31st of that year, according to an entry in the Westmoreland records, Nathaniel, "son and heir" of John Washington, chose Nathaniel Pope his guardian. "Son & heir" then meant eldest surviving son.

4. NATHANIEL[3] WASHINGTON (John[2], John[1]) was alive and under age in 1708 when he chose a guardian. No further record of him has been noted.

5. JOHN[3] WASHINGTON (John[2], John[1]) lived in Stafford County where he died in 1752. He is the only John Washington whose will could have been the one here cited. His legatees were his wife, sons John and Nathaniel; daughter Elizabeth; an unborn child; "Uncle Cadwallader Dade" (It is possible that John[2] Washington had married a daughter of Francis Dade), John Storke and Lawrence son of "Henry Washington, late of Westmoreland, deceased," (This was his great nephew, son of his nephew Henry Washington).

Issue: 7. John[4]; 8. Nathaniel[4]; 9. William[4]; doubtless the unborn child. William Washington in his will names his brother John Washington, and his nephew John Hooe Washington, In 1796 John Hooe Washington sold to Wm. A. Washington land which had been exchanged by "John Washington grandfather of the said John Hooe Washington" and Augustine Washington grandfather of Wm. A. Washington; 10. Elizabeth, probably married Buckner.

6. HENRY[3] WASHINGTON (John[2], John[1]), of Stafford County. In Westmoreland March 31, 1708, he chose Nathaniel Pope his guardian. In his will, dated Feb. 2, 1747-8, and proved in Stafford Nov. 8, 1748 (printed in full in Hayden's Virginia Genealogies 519,520) he gives his grandson Lawrence Washington all his land on Mattox; to his son John Washington the land testator lived on; to son Baily all his land at Aquia. He makes certain bequests to his daughter-in-law Eliza Washington,

which are to revert to his grandson Lawrence Washington. Henry[3] Washington married Mary ..... (St. Pauls Register).

Issue: 11. Henry[4]; 12. Nathaniel[4]; born Jan. 16, 1726 (St. Paul Register), evidently died young as he is not named in his fathers will; 13. John[4]; 14. Bailey[4].

7. WILLIAM[4] WASHINGTON (John[3], John[2], John[1]) of Westmoreland County, was born Dec. 9, 1748 (St. Paul's Register), and died 1788. In his will, dated March 2, 1786, and proved in Westmoreland, March 25, 1788, he makes bequests to his neice Peggy Buckner, brother John Washington, nephew John Hooe Washington and nephew Richard Henry Buckner.

8. NATHANIEL[4] WASHINGTON (John[3], John[2], John[1]) married Dec. 17, 1767, Sarah Hooe (St. Pauls Register), The compiler has no certain additional record in regard to him; but he was probably the father of John Hooe Washington, who was the grandson of a John Washington.

9. JOHN[4] WASHINGTON (John[3], John[2], John[1]), probably removed to Caroline County and became ancestor of the family of the name there. John Hooe Washington (who, if the theory just suggested, is correct, was nephew of this John Washington) who made his will, in 1830, had then no children, and names no relations except his "relation John Washington, son of John Washington of Caroline County." A copy of the Bible record of the Washingtons of Caroline beginning with the marriage of John Washington and Elizabeth Buckner in 1770, is in the William and Mary Quarterly XX, 32.

11. HENRY[4] WASHINGTON (Henry[3], John[2], John[1]), of Westmoreland County, married May 18, 1743, Elizabeth Storke (St. Paul's Register). He died in 1745. In Westmoreland, Feb. 25, 1745-6, Henry Washington, Sr., stated that, so far as he knew, his son Henry Washington Jr. died intesstate, and applied for administration. On March 25 of the same year, Robert Vaulx petitioned in behalf of Elizabeth, relict of Henry Washington Jr., that her dower might be assigned. A marriage contract, dated Aug. 1, 1749, between Robert Vaulx, of Westmoreland, and Elizaabeth Washington, of the same county, widow, Augustine Washington, and John Storke is recorded in Westmoreland. In it provision is made for Lawrence Washington, son of the said Elizabeth. Robert Vaulx in his will, dated Aug. 5, 1754, makes a bequest to his son-in-law (stepson) Lawrence Washington.

Issue of Henry[4] and Elizabeth (Storke) Washington; 15. Lawrence Washington.

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